



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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Mr. Joaquin Govella  
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Dear Mr. Govella:

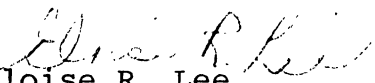
Mr. Samuel M. Pinckney, Jr., Deputy Assistant Secretary for Equal Employment Opportunity, has referred your Personal Qualifications Statement to this office for further consideration and reply.

We have carefully reviewed your qualifications and experience in connection with current and anticipated needs for additional officers. I regret very much that, in view of our continuing tight budgetary and personnel ceilings, employment opportunities are limited; and we have no appropriate openings at this time.

Except for limited requirements for specialists, most officer level positions in the Department are filled by career officers of the Foreign Service, either by reassignment of personnel already employed or through appointments of persons successful on our annual Foreign Service Officer Examination.

I regret that I cannot be more helpful and give you a more favorable reply, but your interest in seeking information with us is very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

  
Eloise R. Lee  
Personnel Staffing Specialist  
Employment Division